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Dear Doctor:

In answer to your letter of September 16th concerning the new drug [redacted] it is made by the [redacted] I have had considerable difficulty to get a sufficient supply of the drug to have done a large series of cases with it, but we have had over 100 patients for dental extractions and it has been a satisfactory drug for these patients.

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We are able to use the drug in either anesthetic or analgesic dose, usually with preliminary medication of [redacted] dose. The dose of [redacted] for adults usually is [redacted] If one will use a mixture of [redacted] by inhalation one can reduce the dose of [redacted] to one-third or one-quarter as much of it as is used when used alone. It appears that the drug will be particularly good for dental extraction or dental pain.

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The paper that I presented at the [redacted] will be published in [redacted] It contains such data as we have collected to date. My impression of the drug is that it produces a degree of skin analgesia that I have not seen previously with small doses of other drugs. The recovery period is short. There is little effect from small doses on blood pressure, pulse rate, E.E.G. or E.C.G. tracings. An overdose of the drug suppresses respiration and as a result a state of anoxemia develops and you are aware of what prolonged anoxemia will do to a patient.

Yours truly,

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